

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
VICTIMS' SERVICES PROGRAM**

GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT

January 13, 2015

**STOP/VAWA-PROSECUTION
COMMUNITY RESPONSE TEAM GRANT APPLICATION**

Purpose of Funds: To enhance the community's response to domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence and stalking by improving policies and procedures; providing training; and increasing the number of successful prosecutions.

Eligible Applicants: Counties should apply for the purpose of implementing a Community Response Team through the States' Attorney's office.

Match Required: 25% Cash or In-kind

Application Due Date: Applications and Attachments due **February 13, 2015**

Application Submission: **The Application and Program Guidelines and Attachments documents are available online at**

<http://dss.sd.gov/victimservices/cvc/grantinfo.asp>

Complete application using the VSMS system.

Complete the Attachments and mail to:

Department of Social Services

Victims' Services

700 Governors Drive

Pierre, SD 57501

Agencies who are not currently funded through the Victims' Services Program should contact Lori Martinec at lori.martinec@state.sd.us or at (605) 773-3109 or Abby Roderick at abby.roderick@state.sd.us or at (605) 773-6317.

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